

Uniforms Chosen for the WAAC



Women's Army Auxiliary corps uniforms pictured for the first time, in Washington, D. C. Left to right: Gloria Picket, modeling officer's winter uniform; Bette Jane Greer, officer's summer; Inga Rundvold, auxiliary's winter. (NEA Telephoto.)

Congress Leaders Reported Split on Junket to England

Some Fear Trip Would Arouse Ire of Pre-War Isolationists

Washington, May 23—(AP)—Congressional leaders were reported divided today on whether to send ten senators and representatives of both parties to England for talks with parliament on war problems and peace aims.

A tentative invitation for the visit was laid before a group of senate and house leaders by an unnamed British spokesman at a secret conference at the Capitol yesterday.

Democrats were said to have given the idea general approval. However, senate Republican leader McNary and house Republican Leader Martin were reported somewhat skeptical about the wisdom of sending such a large delegation to Great Britain at this time.

A reported suggestion at the conference that the leaders of both houses be included among the five Republicans and five Democrats who would make the trip, probably in July, brought questions as to the effect of their absence on the progress of important legislation, particularly the tax bill now pending before the house ways and means committee. Few expect house passage of this measure before late June, placing it before the senate finance committee for consideration in July.

Doubt Among Leaders

There was some doubt among leaders, it was said, whether an announcement of plans for such a conference might not draw the ire of senators who were critical of Great Britain and the British war effort before Pearl Harbor, and who might regard such a trip as tending to shift the center of popular attention from Washington to London.

Fear of public criticism of the trip as a "congressional junket" also was mentioned.

Those interested made it plain that no definite invitation had been issued in behalf of the British parliament or would be issued until congressional leaders determined.

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U-Boat Menace Being Solved Says President

Washington, May 23—(AP)—President Roosevelt said last night that the shipping situation was serious but that the submarine menace was being solved.

"We have been, we still are, confronted with a serious shortage of ships to carry the essentials of war," he said in a Maritime Day statement. "Submarines of the axis aggressors have taken a heavy toll."

"But that problem, like others confronting us, is being solved. Our ships are going through and will continue to go through in growing numbers."

When the shipbuilding program was launched a little more than a year ago, the president said, there were those who doubted the country's ability to carry it out.

"Today I can assure you that we will perform this near-miracle of ship production," he said. "The nation's shipbuilding capacity has been increased more than 500 percent. That of itself is an outstanding achievement."

The War Today!

(This daily feature, conducted by Dr. Witt Mackenzie, Wide World war analyst, is being written during his absence for a fortnight by Fred Vanderschmidt.)

Uncle Sam's Women Soldiers Will Be Chic in Uniforms

War Department Selects Dress for Members of WAAC; of Khaki

(Pictures Above)

Washington, May 23—(AP)—Members of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps will be chic in khaki.

The war department has picked the uniforms, and aside from silks and satins there's quite a variety of materials.

Silks will prevail in all cases.

For summer there's khaki cotton twill and gabardine. For winter there's olive drab covert cloth.

The hosiery will be cotton and rayon, but no one in the department had a word to say about the underthings, either summer or winter.

A WAAC officer in the winter-time will wear a single-breasted, four-button dark olive drab jacket of covert cloth and a six panel flared skirt of light or dark olive.

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Mystery Broadcast Threatens Cubans

Havana, Cuba, May 23—(AP)—A mysterious broadcaster, who identified himself as the commander of a German submarine lying only a mile and one-half off the Havana waterfront, promised the Cuban people last night they were in for a "surprise". Havana newspapers reported today.

"This is the second time we have visited Havana and very soon will give you a surprise", the broadcaster was quoted as saying in perfect Spanish after giving his identity and the location of his vessel.

"It isn't fair", he added, "that while the German people are suffering the consequences of the British blockade with the support of the United States, American girls should be enjoying themselves on the beaches."

"Our submarines will take care of that."

The broadcaster was said to have gone off the air after making this threat.

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Sacrificed

Great Lakes, Ill., May 23—(AP)—The trophy cases at the Great Lakes naval training station, filled with more than 100 loving cups, pennants and belts, won by athletic teams and rowing crews during the past 20 years, were empty today.

The trophies are to be sacrificed for metal vital to national armament and will be melted down and the brass, tin, copper, gold and silver derived from them will be used in armament production.

A spokesman said the decision to sacrifice the trophies and other metal ornaments of vital war value was reached by naval officers "after lengthy consideration". They decided the worth of the metals to armament outweighed the sentimental value attached to the trophies.

Weight of the collection was estimated at approximately one ton.

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American Seaman Boards Submarine Which Attacks Ship and 'Calls' Crew

New Orleans, May 23—(AP)—Joachim Johansen, Vineland, N. J., first mate of a Honduran cargo vessel shelled and abandoned in the Gulf of Mexico, boarded the submarine which attacked his ship and reviled the commander for "injustice".

The attack—ninth officially announced since submarines started operating in the Gulf—took place May 15. One crewman was killed in the shelling and two officers and two other crewmen injured. All others were picked up from lifeboats by a fishing vessel. The navy announced the incident yesterday.

The submarine, ship crewmen said, was apparently of Italian design, but manned by Germans.

The ship sighted the submarine about four miles distant in mid-afternoon. The submersible gave chase, and after about an hour overhauled the ship and opened fire with a light gun and machine guns.

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leans, radio operator of the ship, flashed calls for help repeatedly during the chase and attack, which ended when the ship's captain ordered the ship abandoned.

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Two More Jap Ships Knocked Out

U. S. Mobilization for Total War Now Reaching Top Speed

Official Reports Show Nation Approaching Maximum Strength

Washington, May 23—(AP)—America's mobilization for total war is speeding up, official reports showed today.

Armament production is forging steadily ahead and manufacture of many peacetime products is grinding to a stop. Steps are being taken to ration train and bus travel. The defense housing program is being revised to center on temporary dormitories for war workers. New anti-inflation mottoes are in the making. The overnight developments:

Production—"Output of machinery" chemicals and armament of all kinds has continued to expand at a rapid rate", said a Federal Reserve Board covering April and the first half of May. "On the other hand, output of many products for civilian use x x x has been sharply reduced".

Rationing—The Office of Defense Transportation started a survey preliminary to rationing of passenger space on trains and buses. The survey covers intercity bus and railroad passenger travel originating in 100 cities and will end at midnight Thursday. There will be a check on tickets sold. Some 20,000 passengers will be interviewed about where they are going and why, their occupations and how often they travel.

Safety Razors Frozen

Sale and delivery of safety razors now in the hands of manufacturers and jobbers was prohibited and the razors were ordered made available for soldiers and sailors. The freezing order does not apply to retail stores and is expected to last only until plastic-handle substitutes are in production.

Housing—War Production Board officials decided that only an "irreducible minimum" of public housing projects would be carried on. Many projects were stopped for lack of lumber and others were slowing down, so it was decided to concentrate on "duration dormitories" for war workers. Privately-financed defense housing now under way will be completed if found essential to the war effort.

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Report French Fleet in Mediterranean Sea

New York—The administration was reported considering industry-wide wage arrangements to prevent unwarranted pay increases, taking as an example the government's pact yesterday with the 19 AFL building trade unions for handling any wage and adjustments by a federal board.

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Illinois Elks Assn. Will Elect Officers

Rockford, Ill., May 23—(AP)—Walter E. Miller of Elgin and Enoch Carlson of Blue Island were the leading candidates for election as president of the Illinois Elks Association at the group's annual election of officers today.

Delegates to the association's 39th annual convention yesterday visited Camp Grant where they were guests of Brig. Gen. John W. Willis. The Kankakee ritualistic team won first honors in competition with several other teams.

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The Weather

SATURDAY, MAY 23, 1942

Chicago and Vicinity: Not much change in temperature today; continued rather cool tonight; gentle winds today becoming light tonight.

Illinois: Not much change in temperature today and tonight.

LOCAL WEATHER

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Report Six Missing After Flash Flood in E. Pennsylvania

Honesdale, Pa., May 23—(AP)—Six persons were reported missing and believed drowned today in one of a series of flash floods that swept through eastern Pennsylvania, making hundreds homeless and paralyzing transportation over wide areas.

The Lackawaxen river, fed by recent rains, burst through the Seeleyville dam three miles above this northeastern Pennsylvania community and sent a six-foot wall of water rushing through the streets just before daybreak.

Telephone company officials reported several houses were topped over by the flood and it was believed those missing were trapped in their sleep. Communication with the town was difficult.

Residents reported "only four or five houses" remaining on Delaware street in Honesdale where there had been 15.

"Most of the occupants of these houses were evacuated last evening but several may have stayed in the buildings", one said.

Marian Bussa, Honesdale correspondent for the Scranton Times, reported that she saw a house collapse and "there were people in it" because she "heard them scream".

Heart Attack Fatal

A woman died in Montoursville, Lycoming county, of a heart attack after her home was surrounded by water. At Pottstown, near Philadelphia, a 63-year-old widow collapsed and died of heart disease while trying to remove articles from the flooded cellar of her house.

The federal-state flood forecasting service at Harrisburg said only small tributaries were at dangerous levels and that the bigger streams were not expected to reach damaging proportions.

Most of the rampaging creeks crested by dawn and were receding slowly.

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Several collieries were forced to shut down as steadily climbing streams endangered underground workings. Sixteen miners fled to safety after surface waters flooded mine near Hazelton.

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Survivors of the first Japanese force, who gained a foothold Wednesday on Chuanhsien island at the mouth of the Min river in Fukien province, were said to have fled to their ships, abandoning huge quantities of equipment.

While the threat to Foochow appeared to have been diminished, other Japanese columns driving into neighboring Chekiang province were reported advancing rapidly on Kinhwa.

Kinhwa is the provisional capital of Chekiang province and a gateway to China's interior.

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Bankers Have the Solution to Stop Hoarding of Money

New York—(Wide World)—A letter from a banker got results.

And there hangs a tale because somebody has two billion dollars in a sock under a mattress, hoarding it, even though there is more money loose now than at any time in history.

The safe deposit box renters of the East New York Savings Bank received from the president, Edward E. Richards, a letter which urged them to:

"Get all their hoarded cash out of the boxes and convert it into war bonds and stamps so this nation could defeat its enemies and insure continuance of the American way of life."

Hoarders opened their boxes, took out their cash and bought war bonds or stamps with it or deposited it in savings accounts so the bank could invest the money in government securities.

The result: April deposits in that bank jumped \$189,847 over that increase with the amount of war bonds and stamps sold, the bank last month received almost \$1,500,000 more than in April, 1941.

But even so: Of the more than \$11,720,000,000 now in circulation, more than double the volume of the 1920's, about \$2 billion is hoarded or hidden away.

Hoarders either wish to hold their money or transact their

businesses.

The OPA advised him that the posting of ceiling prices didn't necessitate pasting them on the ceiling of the

chambers.

During the night of

Building Improvements

SMALL HOMES STORES APARTMENTS

MODERNIZATION

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STORAGE PLACES

By Paul T. Haagen

As the home of today becomes smaller and more compact, it becomes more evident to those of us who are in the building field that storage space must become more adequate. Closets and places in which winter or summer clothing, blankets, draperies, etc., may be stored must be provided for somewhere in the house. There must be cupboards and shelves for linen, china, silver, and all the things that constitute the niceties of living. Card tables, games, books, magazines, rubbers, galoshes, golf bags, etc., these items all require a storage space.

Sometimes some of these things may be stored in the attic but the closets there should be carefully and tightly built and there should be quick and direct access to this space. This may be arranged by means of a disappearing stairway that is built into the ceiling of the second floor. Closets for hanging clothes need not be over 24 inches. Winter draperies that may be taken down in the summer should have closets in which piles run across the closet over which the draperies may be hung.

As a rule, the shallow closet is considered the most economical, and two doors usually are more convenient than one.

Cedar closets do not give the maximum protection to clothes because cedar soon dries out. Any closet in which clothing is stored must be very tight against moths and vermin; it should be well vented.

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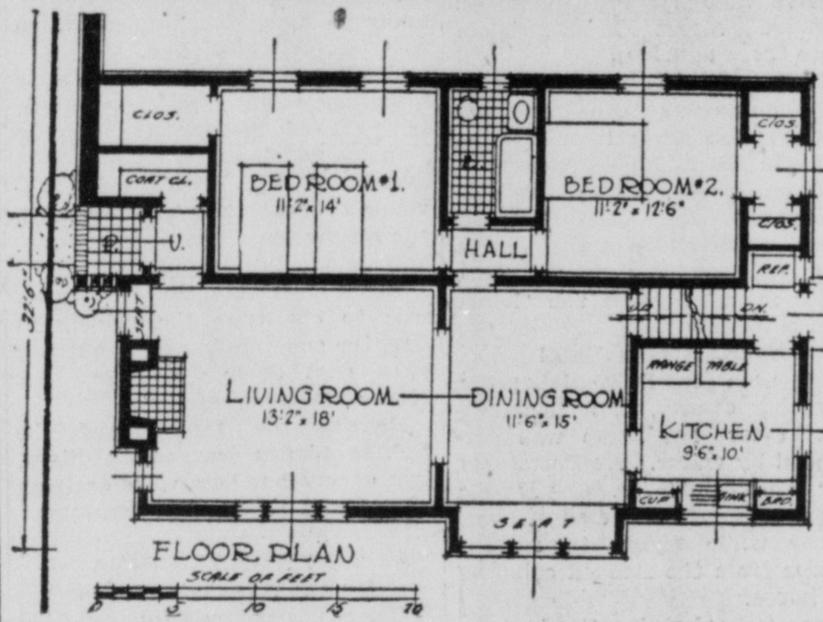
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The wall linoleums that are on the market are much thinner than that used on floors. Yet of the same texture and patterns as those for floors. They are washable and waterproof, and because they are quite thin, they may be carried around corners and covets at the intersection of walls and floors.

Wall linoleum is hung by the same mechanic who lays the linoleum on the floor. The seams and joints must be proof against water.

CEILING LIGHTS

Nowadays one rarely finds lighting fixtures in the center of the ceiling room except in bedrooms, dining rooms and kitchens. But it is nice to be able to switch a light on as one enters a room, and your base plug which service your lamps may be put on a switch just the same as a ceiling outlet. The switch is placed near the door so that you may easily turn the lamp on as you enter the room.

HEAT LOSSES

The windows in many houses are a source of much heat loss. The loss of heat passes through the glass from the inside to the outside. To overcome this, provide storm sash, one of the best things to do to save on the loss of heat from a house. Weather strips will prevent drafts from leaking in around the frame and sash.

Insulation is almost as important in the modern house as bath and furnace.

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insulation material which will retard the heat loss and will permit the water in the tank to heat up faster.

MIRRORS

If you have a narrow space between two windows, a mirrored panel adds to the illusion of space and is quite decorative as well. It is possible also to place a small dressing table in front of it which with the window or draperies, adds to the pleasing effect.

LIGHT THE STAIRS

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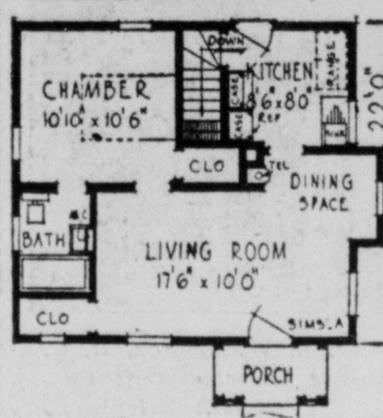
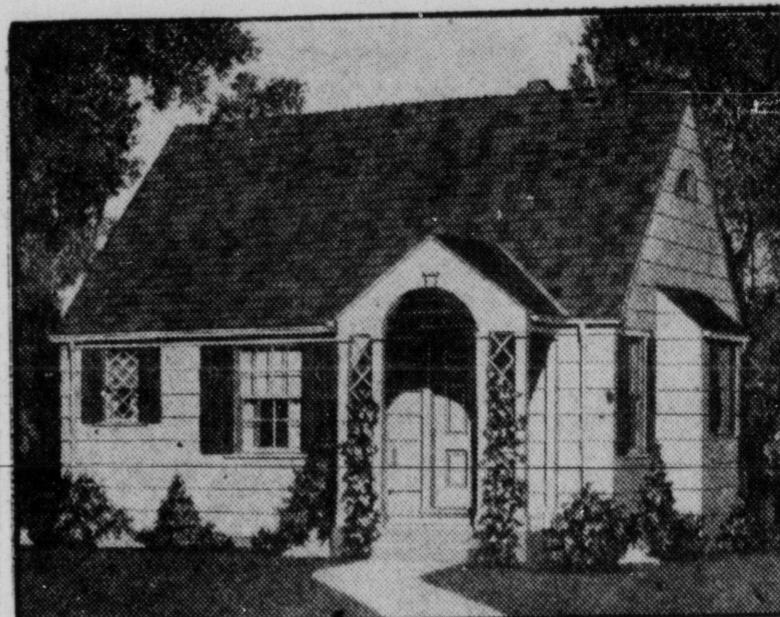
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TRANSPORTATION
AND YOUR HOME

In selecting the property on which to build your home, it is quite important that transportation should be very carefully considered. Not only should the community have all the things that you as a home owner would like it to have in the way of homes, schools, shopping facilities, etc., but it should be serviced by regular bus, trolley or interurban lines so that ready access to places of employment, recreation centers, etc., may be had.

In addition to this matter of ready and prompt transportation, cost must be taken into account, in relation to all the members of the family. Costs of transportation may become a burdensome expense if not considered in your original plans.

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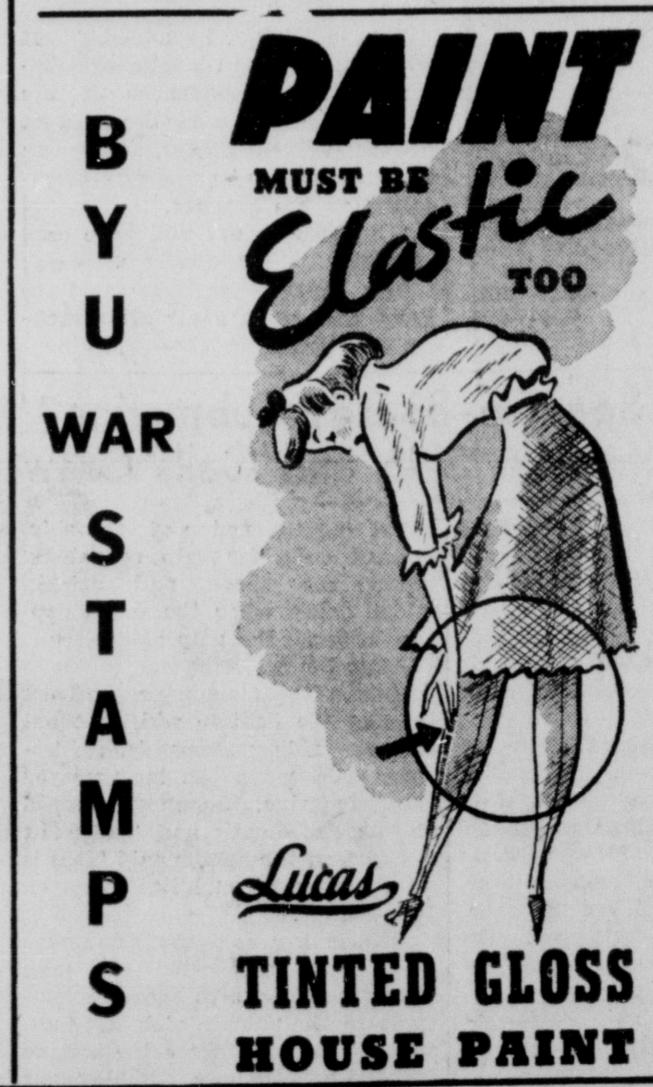
Actually the higher temperatures reached on roof structures than on side walls warrant the employment of considerably more insulation on the upper levels of your house than would be justified on purely economic grounds for winter fuel savings alone.

We would be glad to discuss your insulation problems at any time.

Keep Your Home
In Good Shape

All economy-minded home owners are flashing the "go" signs on repairs around the house these spring evenings. With property values increasing, materials getting more and more difficult to get, it pays to keep your home in perfect shape all the time. For suggestions and materials call 57 or 72.

Mrs. Gray's supporters collapsed on eve of appointment—Shreveport (La.) Times.



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GOOD MORNING
The optimistic man gives hope;

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The former says: "Good morning, Lord."

The latter: "Good Lord, morning."

—Thomas Lamb.

"Madam," he said, "will you please get off my foot?"

"Why don't you put your foot where it belongs," she replied.

"Don't tempt me, madam, don't tempt me."

St. Peter: "How did you get up here?"

Prospect: "Flu."



Building Improvements

SMALL HOMES • STORES

APARTMENTS

MODERNIZATION

by PAUL T. HAAGEN, A.I.A.

CLOSETS

You Have Always Needed
More and Probably a
Moth-Proof Closet.

What householder has not felt the need of more closets in her home! There never seems to be enough closet or storage place in any house. One very desirable closet is the moth-proofed closet where winter garments, blankets, etc., may be stored during the summer months and to this end cedar has been used for many years. A cedar moth-proofed closet, while not an absolute guarantee against moths, is a pretty good place for the storage of garments. To build one requires certain methods to make it effective.

The moth-proofed closet may be built in the attic and must be sealed tight. It is a good idea to make the closet of a double thickness of boards with building paper between the boards to seal up the joints that will occur due to the shrinkage of the lumber. The closet would be built of rough lumber first; then heavy building paper placed over the rough boards; then the inside of the closet sealed with cedar boards. Weather-strip the door and make the closet as tight as possible. It is essential that all cracks and joints be eliminated.

For better closets, fit up your present ones with new shelves and compartments, making the compartments to a size that will accommodate the things to be placed therein. Have a hanging rod for more efficient use.

If you have a large closet in a handy place, perhaps you might convert it into a sewing room which should have light and ventilation, shelves and hanging space.

BOOK CASE MAY BEAUTIFY ROOM

People rarely think of the book case as a well decoration. They regard a book case only as furniture and a place in which to store their books. But a book case that is built into the wall and made a part of the decorative scheme of that wall provides one of the most beautiful and decorative treatments possible. The book case, when filled with books, takes on the aspect of a tapestry, for the many colored backs of books when massed close together, and standing flush with the wall, bring color, warmth and vividness into the room.

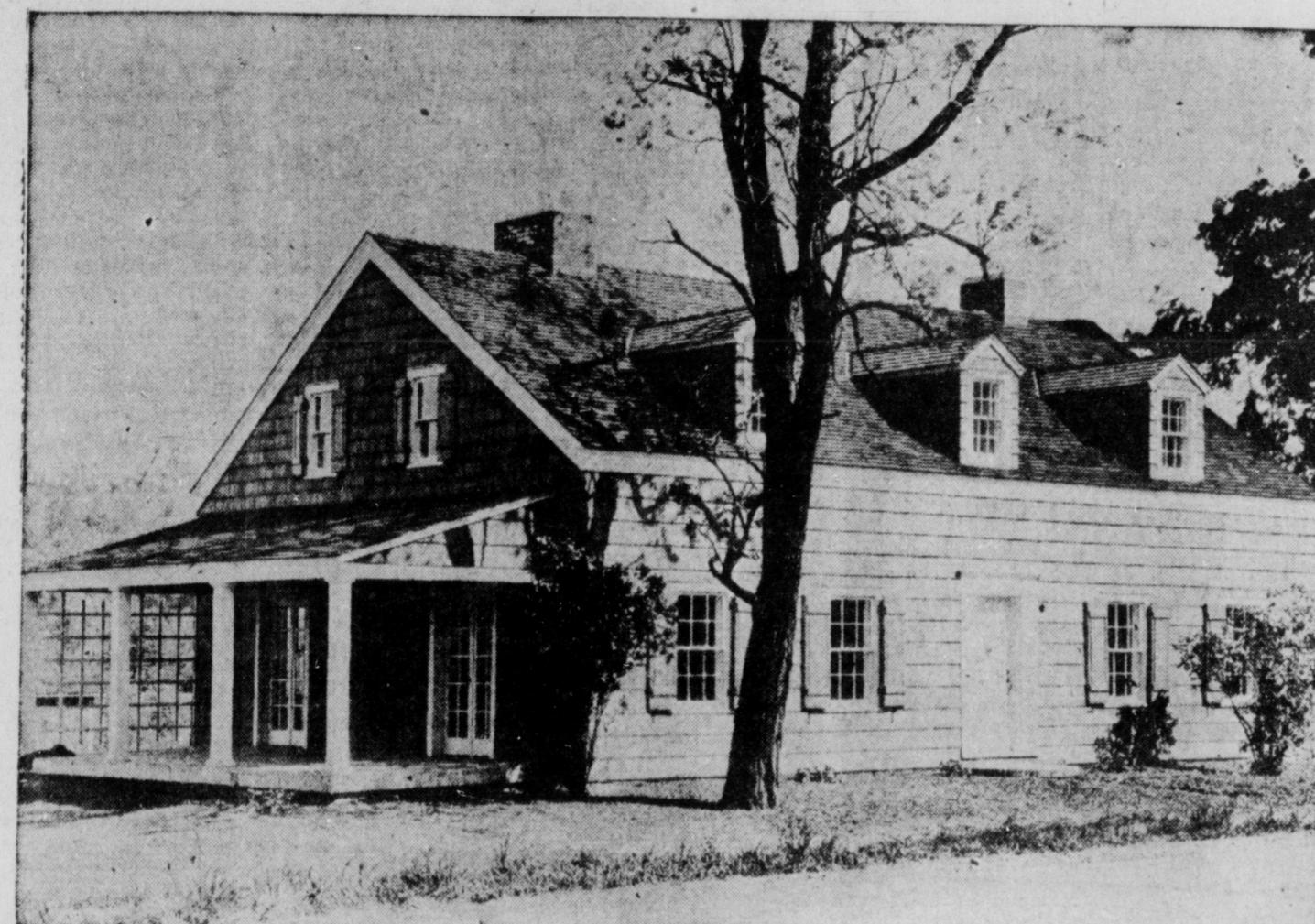
Book cases should always be made a subordinate part of the wall decoration and never the main motif. They may be built on either side of a fireplace, a window or a doorway.

In the older houses which are to be remodeled or modernized and where there are awkward spaces and corners, rows of shelves built in will add to the informal and altogether homelike atmosphere.

It is advisable to have a cupboard in connection with the book shelves that may be used for the storage of magazines, games and insight books which may be covered by doors.

which the hostesses furnished in-

MODERNIZATION RENEWS OLD HOME



NO. 3

Many an old house, perhaps abandoned as worthless, may be reconditioned and brought back to a worthy state. Here are three photographs of such a house. The first illustration shows the building before reconditioning alterations were started. You will notice that the architectural lines of the house are good and apparently the structural strength of the timbers and foundations is sufficient for there is no apparent sagging of the roof lines or walls.

In the third photograph one cannot help but be astonished at the change for the better brought about in this old structure. Here we find an altogether charming home-like house in good architectural style. A porch was added at one end with French doors opening to same from the room within. The entrance doorway is to be commended, for here we find a simple, straightforward colonial entrance devoid of "cluttering up" objects.

I think we will all agree that the modernization of this old home was a success, and the example should be a splendid one to illustrate what may be accomplished in this direction.

stead of refreshments. Nine members were present.

Unit two met at the home of Mrs. Henry Kruse with Mrs. Frank Heaton and Mrs. Fay Quilter as assistants. The opening hymn was "More Like the Master" and the devotional topic used by Mrs. George Short was "Ten Commandments for Women." Rev. W. T. Street closed the devotions with prayer. Mrs. Alvin Johnson was in charge of the business session which was followed by a social hour. Rev. and Mrs. Street were guests of the unit. Refreshments were served. Seventeen members were present.

Mrs. Henry Glafka, Mrs. A. P. Shearburn and Miss Dorothy Mau were hostesses to members of unit three at the Glafka home with the devotions in charge of Mrs. Noel Mosher, opening with the hymn, "The Lord is My Shepherd." The topics were "Mother", and "Christianity and the War." Mrs. Arthur Shearburn conducted the business meeting and an article, "That Man From Nazareth" was read by Mrs. Melvin Durham. Mrs. Herman Hoffman was in charge of the social hour and a scramble lunch closed the afternoon.

Mrs. Curtis Plum and Miss Nellie Ross were hostesses to the Willing Workers at the Plum home with 12 members and one guest, Mrs. F. V. Hallcock, present. Devotions were in charge of Mrs. A. O. Miller who gave the Scripture reading and Mrs. F. V. Hallcock led in prayer. The hymn used was "Wonderful Words of Life", and closing with the poem, "Why Not Now?" Mrs. A. M. Walrath was in charge of the business meeting, which was followed by a social hour and a scramble lunch.

The Friendship group met at the home of Mrs. Earl Gettle, whose assistant was Mrs. Harry Renner, and with 12 members present. The opening hymn, "Count Your Blessings," was sung by everyone and for devotions, Mrs. Gerald Ganschow used an excerpt from the book, "The Upper Room." She also read a number of interesting letters from a former Walnut man, Raymond Ross, who is now a missionary in Brazil. The business was in charge of Mrs. J. A. Fisher and recreation was in charge of Mrs. John Odha. The song, "America" closed

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A Thought for Today

Blessed are the eyes which see the things that ye see: For I tell you, that many prophets and kings have desired to see those things which ye see, and have not seen them; and to hear those things which ye hear, and have not heard them.—Luke 10:23-24.

In every object there is inexhaustible meaning; the eye sees in it what the eye brings means of seeing.—Carlyle.

Vote Monday, June 1

(Ogle County Republican)

On Monday, June first, from six a. m. to five p. m. voters of Ogle and adjoining counties should go to the polls and cast their votes for Supreme Judge of the Sixth Judicial Circuit, comprising twelve counties in this section. They should do this in order that a general expression of choice may be made between the two candidates, Circuit Judge William J. Fulton of Sycamore, the Republican candidate and the present incumbent, Justice Elwyn R. Shaw of Freeport the nominee of the Democratic party.

The term of Supreme Court Justices in Illinois is nine years, so for the next nine years, they will no doubt not have opportunity to vote for this office.

Supreme Court Justices are highly important, as they have the final say in the interpretation of laws passed by our State Legislature. Very often they are called upon to rule upon whether the laws enacted are constitutional, and these laws affect you, no matter what station in life you hold.

This newspaper favors the election of Judge William J. Fulton, because it believes he is highly qualified for the post and is deserving of advancement. He has served nineteen years as a Circuit Judge, and for a part of this time he has taken on the added duties of Judge of the Appellate Court. He has a judicial temperament that is well matured, and his long years on the bench of the Circuit Court has given him a broad insight into the law as it applies to the average person in his state.

But Judge Fulton can be elected only by the voters who go to the polls on June 1 and cast their vote, hence, it is important that every voter who favors his election make it a point to vote.

This district, the sixth, is overwhelmingly Republican, and if the Republican voters turn out on Monday, of June 1, his election is assured. He has served long and well, and who is more entitled to advancement, than those who have put in long years of service?

CARIBBEAN CRISIS

BY EATON K. GOLDTWHAITE

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THE STORY—BILL Talcott is about to return to New York after six years on a Dutch West Indian island as branch manager for an American chain. His account of shortages in his accounts, brought by an auditor, Bill is to return with Halsey, who was to succeed him. MacDowell, his wife, has been landed on the island by Bill's former roommate, and two refugees, Martha Swenson and her son, Constance, have been landed on the island by a villainous smuggler named Jackson. Bill faces the auditor, who remains in charge, with accusations that latter's charges are a framework, engorged by higher-ups.

BILL MAKES UP HIS MIND

CHAPTER XI

AS abruptly as it had begun the conference was over. Struthers, who seemed to have as little use for food as he had for sleep, departed for the office again taking Halsey with him, and thus Bill Talcott was left alone with MacDowell.

The detective was shaky, off-balance and very near collapse.

"You ain't such a bad guy," MacDowell muttered as Bill Talcott directed his arm into a sleeve. "I guess you had to hit me—Say, d'you suppose I could have a drink?"

Talcott nodded, summoned the boy, and when the drink was brought MacDowell was clothed.

"You ain't such a bad guy," MacDowell said again. Suddenly he put the glass down and tipped to the window, looked out and all around; tiptoed back to the door and searched the hall beyond. Apparently satisfied, he returned to the center of the room, inclined his head and in a hoarse whisper said, "Ya know somep'n? I don't like that guy Struthers."

Talcott covered his surprise. "No? I thought you fellows were buddies."

"Me, a buddy to him? I'd like to kick him in the pants—"MacDowell, get up! Do yer dooty!"

Talcott swallowed a smile. "Strange, wasn't it, how he avoided all that trouble at the dock?"

"Yeah. Listen, I been watchin' you, an' the more I watch the more satisfied I am somep'n stinks besides the fertilizer around here," MacDowell paused. "Listen, can you keep your mouth shut?"

"I can."

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Society News

Seniors Present Annual Program

The last ding of the school bell (only it's a buzzer now) will soon be heard throughout the land and schools will start giving forth the young ones, age seven, 16, or 22. Yesterday was Senior Day, a traditional year-end event at Dixon high school, with the departing graduates presenting a special assembly program for their fellow students.

Bill Thompson presided during the program, which included music by The Melody Maids and Lorraine Pritchard; demonstration of girls' sports, including golfing, bicycling, tap dancing, and baseball; Marilyn Hoyle, Charlotte Mueller, Lorraine Pritchard, and Eileen Kuhn, with Virginia Dodd as narrator.

Demonstration of how to extinguish an incendiary bomb, Jane Goff, boys' sports, including football, basketball, track and tennis, Dwight Fulmer, Harold Salzman, George Weigle, and Ned Sack, with Bernard Frazer as narrator; dramatics—exempt from "Footloose," Bud Bradford, except from "What a Life," Bernard Frazer, Georgia Jewett and Theron Lane, with Roger Chapman as narrator; class will, written by Lois Blimming, Bob Wentling, Bud Bradford, and Lorraine Pritchard, read by Roseanne Deutsch and Lois.

There was also a demonstration by boys of the social arts class, with Harry Smith explaining the advantages offered by the course. Dale Cramer acting as master of ceremonies, Bill Newman illustrating date-making etiquette by telephone, Harvie Ware and Dan Shiaras presenting a cooking demonstration, and Ossie Zimmerman, sewing.

Yesterday was also presentation day for the 1942 edition of the Yearbook, Agnes Sieling was eligible for the first copy, and since her subscription had already been received, she was awarded a refund in the form of a dollar war stamp.

Bud Tennant, editor in chief, presided during the formal presentation. Participating in a clever skit during the program were Lura Williams, assistant editor; Helen Boyd, business manager; Harold Salzman, circulation manager; Bud Bradford, art editor; Dick Keller, Bernard Frazer, Virginia Dodd, Trudy Prewitt, and Georgia Jewett.

Distribution of the books in home rooms was followed by an autograph-signing session in the gymnasium, where dance music went unheeded in the interests of exchanging signatures.

LITERARY CLUB NAMES OFFICERS

Members of the Twentieth Century club elected officers Thursday evening at the Loveland Community House. Those named were: President, Mrs. David Crawford; vice president, Mrs. Joy Diehl; secretary, Mrs. Veral Carpenter; treasurer, Mrs. Crawford Thomas; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Russell Byers; press correspondent, Mrs. E. B. Ryan.

The advance of modern science was traced by Mrs. Russell Byers in a paper "Modern Gold Parade of Progress."

The club's annual May banquet is being planned for May 28.

DINNER GUESTS
Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Thomas entertained at dinner Thursday evening, their party numbering six. After dinner, the group turned their attention to bridge, with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Belcher scoring high.

Amboy Couple to Observe 51st Year



—Telegraph Photo and Engraving

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jacobs

Both Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs were born near Javerland, Germany. They were married in Pontiac, Ill., May 25, 1891, two days after her arrival from the fatherland. The couple were the parents of eight children.

No formal celebration is being planned for the anniversary on Monday.

ENGAGEMENT OF MISS MARY MARGUERITE BENNETT AND DR. STERNE IS ANNOUNCED

Wedding bells and tiered bridal cakes continue in importance with additional young women revealing news of their betrothals and wedding plans, with approach of the traditional month for brides. Today, Mrs. J. Frank Bennett of 118 East Fellows street is making informal announcement of the engagement of her eldest daughter, Mary Marguerite, to Dr. John Howard Sterne, who is to be graduated next month from Northwestern university's school of medicine.

Miss Bennett, who was formerly a student at St. Mary's of Notre Dame and received a bachelor of arts degree from Mundelein college two years ago, is not yet revealing the date she has chosen for the ceremony in which she is to become Dr. Sterne's bride.

The bridegroom-to-be is the only child of Mrs. Howard Sterne of Evansville, Ind. He plans to go to Akron, Ohio for his internship.

DESSERT-BRIDGE

Mrs. M. E. Potter was serving a dessert course before distributing tatties, when she entertained her bridge club of 12, Wednesday evening. Mrs. Elsie Marselus was her co-hostess.

Mrs. Charles Roundy and Mrs. George McGraham held high scores at the close of the evening's play. Mrs. Joe Miller and Mrs. Roundy are to be the next hostesses.

BRIDGE-LUNCHEON

Mrs. George Crawford made luncheon reservations for her bridge club of eight, Thursday, at Rice's tea room. In the contract games which followed, Mrs. Charles Finley had high score. Mrs. Finley is to be the next hostess.

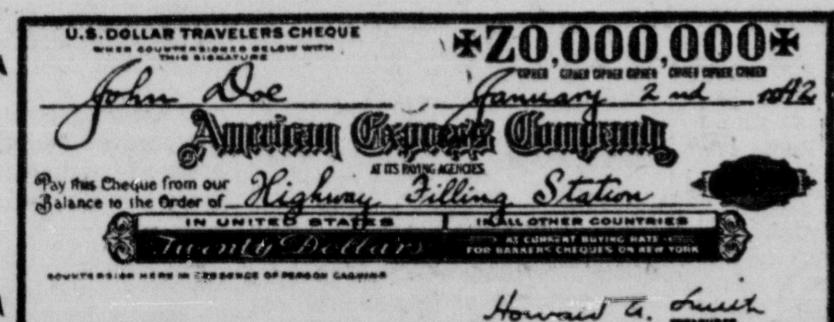
TO OKLAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Chambers of Mount Morris left Tuesday morning for Stillwell, Okla. to visit relatives.

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Piano Students Present Third Recital Program

Third in the series of spring recital programs by piano students of Eleanor Chapman was presented last evening at her studio, 324 East Chamberlin. Nine members of the class were performing their selections including:

"Vale of Song" (Reife), "Along the Garden Path" (Larson), Elsie May Bunnell.

"Here's Bobby White," (Bilbro); "The Elf and the Fairy," (Bentley), Norma Jean Rorer.

"Butterflies Wink Their Primrose Wings," (Goodrich), Norma Jean and Leonard Rorer.

"Hide and Seek," (Schytte); "Drolleries," (Von Wilm), Leonard Rorer.

"Butterflies," (Matthews); "Albun Leaf in A Minor," (Koelling), Donny Memler.

"Allegro from Sonata in C," (Mozart); "Dance in Ancient Style," (Bentley), Ann Beanblossom.

"Song of the Wind," (Wilkes); "Puck," (Grieg), Richard Clau-

sen.

"Scherzo," (Schubert); "Feu Follets," (Rogers), Alice Schmidt.

"In a Boat," (Zecher), "Spanish Gypsy Dance," (Mowrey), Daniel Branigan.

"Polichinelle," (Rachmaninoff), Grace Pirkey Walter.

Wolverine School Closes for Term

Amboy—Last Tuesday evening the Amboy Townsend club met with Mrs. Carrie Hoffman, 20 members being present. Secretary Miller gave an interesting report of the club activities and it was voted to arrange a bus trip to the Brookfield zoo on June 14, and the regional convention at Davenport, Iowa on July 12, unless gas rationing interferes at that time.

Several members failed to make reservations early enough for the Chicago bus trip and those who desire to visit the Brookfield zoo are requested to make reservations early with any member of the committee which is composed of Addie Appelman, Minnie Thompson or Hazel Reid.

RFC Gets Judgment Against Coal Firm

East St. Louis, Ill., May 23—(AP)—Federal Judge Fred L. Wham yesterday returned judgment of \$267,456 in favor of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation against the St. Louis Coal Company and ordered the sum paid within 10 days or the company's properties sold.

The RFC's suit included principal and interest on notes of 1936 and 1937, and sums advanced for continued operation of the coal company's mines. The firm's principal office is at Cuderville, Ill.

The company has two Illinois mines and 3,797 acres of undeveloped coal lands in Randolph, Williamson and Washington counties.

The endorsement was written into a resolution at the closing session of the organization's meeting here yesterday. The measure also urged a ceiling on "every element of cost, wages and agricultural products included," to curb inflation.

Read The Dixon Telegraph, the old and reliable home paper that has been furnishing news to this community for over 92 years.

Calendar

Sunday

Junior Woman's club—May breakfast at Lowell park, 7:30 a.m.

Preston school—Picnic dinner, 1 p.m.

Young Ladies' chorus, Grace Evangelical church—Annual spring concert, 7:45 p.m.

St. Anne's Guild—Will hold informal party at St. Anne's hall, 8 p.m., honoring new-comers to parish.

Monday

Thread and Thimble club—Mrs. John McClanahan, hostess.

Dixon Woman's Relief corps—In G. A. R. hall, 2:30 p.m.

Tuesday

Practical club—Luncheon at Rice's tea room, 1 p.m.

Wednesday

Friendly Eight—Mrs. W. H. Broughton, hostess.

FRIENDLY NINE—Mrs. H. J. Schumacher, hostess.

Linkswomen, Dixon County club—Will qualify for June contest.

North Central Cub pack—At North Central school, 7:30 p.m.

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175 Boys and Girls Will Graduate From Lee Rural Schools

Rosters of Those Who Have Completed 8th Grade is Published

With rural graduation exercises remaining in but two Lee county schools, about 175 graduates will be eligible to enter high schools in September. The graduation at Harmon school will take place next Tuesday evening and the Nelson school Friday evening, May 29, which will close the schedule.

County Superintendent John Torrens today announced the complete list of eighth grade students graduating from the rural schools of the county as follows:

Dist.

1 Viola Mae Myers, Polo.

Elaine Shirley LeFevre, Polo.

Norma Ruth Gilbert, Dixon.

RFD 1

2 Robert Dean Hodges, Dixon.

RFD 1

Beverly Irene Thomasson, Dixon.

RFD 1

3 Vivian Stella Lowry, Dixon.

RFD 1

4 Elwood Milton Lenox, Dixon.

RFD 1

Eugene Seavey Book, Dixon.

RFD 1

5 Erma Jean Castle, Dixon.

RFD 1

6 Gordon LieVan McCleary, Dixon.

RFD 2

Frances Jean Bowers, Dixon.

RFD 2

Fred M. Sachs, Ashton.

Audrey Ellen Miller, Franklin.

Stanley G. Meister, Ashton.

Helen Ethel Majors, Ashton.

Elmer Virgil Shoemaker, Nelson.

RFD 2

9 Hazel Rabel, Dixon.

RFD 2

Jo Ann Marie Payne, Dixon.

RFD 2

10 Richard John Mekeel, Harmon.

RFD 2

Carol LaVon Lincoln, Harmon.

Beverly Joan Knudson, Harmon.

RFD 2

13 Lois Reed Schmitt, Harmon.

RFD 2

Marion Allen Spencer, Harmon.

RFD 2

Helen Irene Geldean, Harmon.

Lawrence Knoll, Harmon.

Martin Peter Oakland, Harmon.

RFD 2

16 Paul Joseph Miller, Harmon.

RFD 2

Mary Ann Thompson, Harmon.

RFD 2

TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, May 23—(AP)—Salable hogs 200, total 6,200; not enough representative classes and grades on sale to test statistics; shippers took none; holdover numbers compared week ago: all weights hogs including sows 10 higher.

Salable cattle 300; calves none; compared Friday last week: local receipts increased approximately 30 per cent over week earlier; but general market active, steers predominated and strictly good and choice kinds steady compared week earlier, instances 25 higher; common, medium and less good grade offerings fully 25@35 higher; instances 50 up on medium grade, lated closed active at advance by contrast with slowness on good to choice offerings selling at 13.25 upward; extreme top 16.75, paid for prime 1288 lb averages; ex. paid for prime 1288 lb average; best long yearlings 16.80; best long 15.65; taking bulk cows, heifers, and bulls 25@35 higher, active at upturn; vealers firm; average-choice heifers topped for class at 14.50; cutter cows closed at 9.40 down; heavy sausages bulk sold up to 11.00; moving freely at 10.5@10.90; and 15.50 paid freely for choice vealers; stock cattle mainly steady at 12.00@12.75.

Salable sheep none; total 2500; compared Friday last week: receipts sharply curtailed, run mostly shorn lambs, with general deterioration in quality of clean-up woolled lambs from western feed lots; fat lamb 75@100 higher for the week; fat sheep strong to 25 higher; shorn lambs gained consistently closing with 90 lbs lambs with No. 1 pelts at 14.80; bulk shorn stock late 14.25@14.50 choice woolskins at midweek 15.40, highest springers 14.50@15.50; odd lots choice 16.00; most fat lamb shorn, bulk ewes 6.00@6.75; free 7.00 to 7.50; with most woolskins 8.00 down.

Unofficial estimated receipts for Monday: hogs 20,000; cattle 13,000; sheep 9,000.

Wall Street Close

(By The Associated Press)

Anac	23 1/2
Atch	34
Aviation	3
Bendix	29
Beth Stl	51 1/4
Borden	18 1/2
Borg Warn	23 1/2
Cater Tract	32 1/2
C & O	29 1/2
Chrysler	58
Colgate	13 1/2
Cons Aircr	15 1/2
Corn Prod	46 1/2
Curt Wr	6 1/2
Du Pont	107
G E	24 1/2
Gen Foods	28 1/2
G M	35 1/2
Goodrich	47 1/2
Goodyear	16
Harr	43 1/2
Kenn	27 1/2
Kimberly-Clark	27 1/2
Kroger	24 1/2
Lib G	25
Ligg	59
Marshall Field	9 1/2
Mont Ward	28 1/2
Nat B	14 1/2
Nat Dairy	13 1/2
No Am Aviat	10 1/2
Nor Pac	5 1/2
Owens Glass	47
Pan Am Air	16 1/2
Penney	64 1/2
Penn R R	19 1/2
Phillips	34 1/2
Repub Stl	13 1/2
Sears	49 1/2
Shell Un Oil	10 1/2
St Oil Cal	19 1/2
St Oil Ind	21 1/2
St Oil N J	34
Texas Cr	32 1/2
Un Carb	61 1/2
Un Air Lines	10 1/2
Un Airc	24 1/2
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(By The Associated Press)

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By JOHNNY MITCHELL

LETTER WINNERS . . . Coach A. C. Bowers' Duke track team has had a more or less on and off season of it . . . but the boys deserve a lot of credit for the manner which they stayed in there pluggin' and pitchin' away all season . . . and the results have been much improvement and we still have a great deal to hear from most of these lads with the coming seasons . . . eight seniors and three juniors and one sophomore have won major awards this season . . . the seniors . . . Captain George Weigle, Jo Van Meter, John Weaver, Paul Hoeman, Clegg Weidman, Kenneth Johnson, Bob Woodworth and Dale Cramer . . . the Juniors . . . Gordon Ommen, Donald Koth, and Bob Quilhot . . . and the one sophomore is Bob Cramer . . . the captain for next year's squad will not be elected until next spring . . . minor letter awards have been handed to the following underclassmen . . . sophomores . . . Eddie Osowski and Richard Stitzel . . . freshmen . . . Fred Mienke, Dean Rizner, James Brady and Bob Alexander . . .

CONGESTION AND CONFUSION . . . during the running of the 440 yard event yester eve in the Conference track meet, Joe Van Meter, on one of the turns suddenly surged across the lanes and bumped a few other boys . . . we believe "pushed" is better than surged, and as a result was disqualified . . . rather a shame for the lad ran a nice race and finished in second . . . well, what with his disqualification and the judges being in a "dither" about the whole thing, a Geneseo boy ran in third . . . but when the judges picked the placers the Geneseo lad wasn't even mentioned . . . so quite a howl ensued from both the Geneseo viewpoint and the Dixon point . . . well the whole thing quieted down and was forgotten . . . it's so seldom that something of this nature happens in a track meet that when it does occur the judges are as much surprised as the crowd . . .

GOLF MATCH . . . Coach Art Driver's Oregon golf team lost their first match of this season yesterday afternoon to the Freeport high team on the Freeport Country Club course . . . score, 10 to 5 . . . previously in the season Oregon beat Freeport 12 to 3 . . . Brown of Freeport was yesterday's medalist as he carded a 75 . . . Jim Lamb and Stan Kozuck were low for the Oregon team, each turning in an 84 . . .

TOMORROW'S TRAIL RIDE . . . just a last minute reminder fans, the first trail ride of the season sponsored by the Rock River Trail and Horseman's Association is scheduled for tomorrow, Sunday . . . some old fashioned country style food is on the bill of fare and the lay-out for the ride should, together, provide one of the best trail rides which has happened around this territory in the last few years . . . the things that we really go for is that "chuck" wagon which will accompany the riders through the entire course of the ride . . . this wagon is to be loaded with all sorts of refreshments and so-on . . . and imagine, absolutely for nothing . . .

THAT VOICE AGAIN . . . that voice which buzzed us yester morn and inquired if we were moving out of our house and into a fox hole, called again this morning . . . but we weren't afraid this "matin" . . . ya' know the Sox won yesterday . . . well the fellow wasn't at all belligerent . . . he remarked on our column being pretty good yesterday (ya' can't touch us today after that one) . . . he also congratulated us on the White Sox spectacle of yester eve . . . and then he got in his pointed thrust . . . now will you promise me one thing . . . and we, feeling so elated over the unrationed "sugar" he was handing us that we automatically replied "yeah, sure, anything" . . . so he came with this, "well that proposition you made yesterday about the Cub fans staying in their backyard and the White Sox remaining in their junior circuit, doesn't seem so good to me and you've just got to keep right on picking the Cub fans apart, if you don't things are gonna' get pretty dull this summer" . . . and imagine, this coming from a Cub fan . . . "oboy" are we gonna' have fun . . .

AND MORE CONFERENCE MEETS . . . the Conference track meet is over and the championship decided in favor of Sterling for the second consecutive year . . . but the annual spring meets are just getting a good start for today two more conference meets are underway . . . the preliminaries of both the golf and tennis meets started at 8:30 this morning . . . the finals to be played this afternoon . . . the tennis finals will be on the high school courts . . . and the golf title play will take place out at Plum Hollow . . .

MIXED DOUBLES . . . twenty couples . . . that's forty people . . . participated in the mixed doubles events at the Recreation alleys yester eve . . . G. Williams and W. Austin walked off with the coveted high honors as they rang up the high series of 1105 . . . E. Hackbarth and Eph. Worton finished in second place with a count of 1093 . . . and J. Fischer and G. Horton finished in third honors . . . the following finished in this respective order . . . fourth, H. Schertner and H. Schertner 1084 . . . fifth G. Slothower and L. Duffy 1077 . . . sixth, O. Hackbarth and Ed Hill 1074 . . . seventh, A. Daschbach and W. Klein 1068 . . . Z. Cinnamon and W. Cinnamom 1054 . . . ninth, L. Tilton and E. Tilton 1047 . . . tenth, M. Willstead and A. Ostrander 1020 . . . E. Schofield and H. Schofield 1019 . . . A. Becker and C. Becker 1012 . . . H. Fults and R. Hoyla 1012 . . . C. Worton and C. Worton 996 . . . G. Hanley and D. Beane 985 . . . D. Courtright and L. Melvin 979 . . . L. Ventler and O. Ventler 974 . . . H. Huyett and Oleig 945 . . . and H. Kelly and D. Kelly 938 . . . such success and marked enthusiasm on the part of the competitors for last night's affair that next Friday, May 29, is set aside for another evening of mixed doubles . . .

Transportation Is Headache Worry to Minor Moguls

New York, May 23—(AP)—It is the chartered buses the fans won't be able to use, not the loss of means for player transportation, that has Minor League baseball worried.

The office of defense transportation has ruled that chartered buses will be banned after June 1 but a survey by the Associated Press showed that a majority of Minor League teams own their own conveyance, use regular bus or travel by train.

Virtually every League, however, was concerned by the probable loss of patronage. In the Minors it is not uncommon for an owner to name a night in honor of some nearby town whose fans respond by hiring buses and attending in a body.

Only in scattered cases in the pioneer, Southeastern, Western Association, Three-I, Wisconsin State and Appalachian Leagues are there clubs which rely on

chartered buses. All say they will have the situation remedied by June 1.

In most cases the clubs own their own buses or station wagons. In some cases, private automobiles belonging to the players are being used, with the club paying expenses.

Generally, teams in the big Minors travel by train but the charges are prohibitive for the smaller loops and the time tables weren't drawn up with baseball schedules in mind.

Mickey McConnell, in charge of the Brooklyn farm system, said the biggest worry of Minor League moguls was the prospect of gasoline rationing. Virtually all the leagues in the area in which gasoline now is rationed say they are able to obtain enough for the transportation of their teams but fear a loss in attendance under the fuel restrictions.

Although W. G. Bramham, chief of all the Minor Leagues, couldn't be reached, President Ross Edgemont of the Appalachian League said he had received a telegram from Bramham predicting that "adjustments probably will be made in the bus ruling."

Sterling Wins Conference Track Title; Dixon Dukes Fifth

Relay Event Decides Crown; DeKalb Finishes Second; Ottawa in Third; Two New Records in Vault and Discus

Over Five Hundred People Witness the Court of Honor Presenting Awards to The Point Winners of the Meet

Yesterday morn started with all the briskness which would indicate a chilly day, but as the day progressed warmth was added and an exceptionally mellow evening followed which made conditions ideal for the annual Illinois North Central Conference track and field meet, held under the Sterling Stadium lights.

A quick order of events and some hotly contested finishes made the event a thriller for the some 500 people who witnessed the spectacle and remained to watch the point-winners approach the Court of Honor and receive their awards from the various Queens.

Through most of the meet, the nod for the title could have gone to any of four or five teams, but as the last few remaining events loomed the race boiled down to three outfits. And as the finale, the 880 yard relay, came on deck, three teams were in there scrapping it out for the Conference Title. At the start of the relay, Sterling and Ottawa were tied, each having a total of 38 points and DeKalb had an excellent chance with 37 tallies credited.

However, last year's champs, Coach Ted Schied's Sterling thin-clads, breezed through the four man relay event in the time of one minute, thirty-five and six-tenths seconds which gave them a repeat performance and the 1942 Conference Track Title, with 43 points. DeKalb took a fourth in the relay which gave her second place with a total of 39 points.

Ottawa, who had a chance to win the meet, failed to even place in the relay and she finished in the totals with 38 points for third place. Mendota was fourth with 21 points. Dixon with 19, Geneseo sixth with 18 and Rock Falls seventh with 17. Princeton and Hall Township were not entered in the meet because their schools have already closed for this term.

Duke Point Winners

Captain Weigle of the Dukes was the only lad to garner a first for the Dixon squad. He toured the mile event in the excellent time of four minutes, forty-six and six-tenths seconds. Dixon's relay team ran in second place. Ommen placed third in the 440 yard run. Quilhot got a third in the discus. Weidman placed fourth in the century run. And Koth picked up fifth in both the 200 yard low hurdles and the 120 yard high hurdles.

New Records

Two records were shattered last night when Jones of Ottawa hurled the discus to the long distance of 136 ft. 9 1/4 inches and Junior Spencer of Rock Falls soared to a new height of 11 ft. and 10 inches in the pole vault. These two new records broke old marks which had been set by Dixon boys. Howard Mantsch, previously held the discus record and Albert Hoeman's vault of 10 ft. and 8 inches back in 1938 stood good until last night.

Court of Honor

The Court of Honor was composed of one Queen from each competing school. These girls presented the winning awards following the meet. And the following were in the group of reigning Queens: Charlene Eniches of Dixon, Bonnie Gonterman of DeKalb, Lois Eckert of Mendota, Mary Catheryn Grey of Ottawa, Elaine Bolen of Geneseo, Alice Yarde of Rock Falls, and Betty McCombs of Sterling.

SUMMARIES: 120-yard high hurdles—won by Breed (S); second Kyger (R); third Hartman (G); fourth Klumper (O); fifth Koth (D). Time—1:16.2.

100-yard dash—won by Johnson (DK); third Hults (S); fourth Weidman (D); fifth Kennes (G). Time—10:16.

Mile run—won by Weigle (D); second Bryan (DK); third Brown (S); fourth Shapiro (M); fifth Hummel (R). Time—4:46.6.

Shot put—won by Jones (O); second Wright (G); third Cunz (DK); fourth Hrynak (D); fifth Braffett (DK). Distance 46 feet, 1/2 inch.

440-yard dash—won by Wissom (DK); second Krieser (M); third Ommen (D); fourth Burkett (S); fifth George (R). Time—54:57.

Pole vault—won by Spencer (R); second Edwards (M); third Cooke (DK); fourth O. and F. Hunsberger (S) tied. Height—11 feet, 10 inches. New record. Former record set by Hoeman, Dixon, in 1938.

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Grumman Aircraft Employs a Unique Personnel Plan

Cargo Planes Begin to Show Great Importance

New York — The manpower problem—a plan put into operation by the Grumman Aircraft Engineering Corporation might smooth the wrinkles in the brows of a good many harried personnel managers.

Grumman turns out the Navy's Wildcat fighter with which Lt. Cmdr. "Butch" O'Hare knocked down six Japanese bombers; the Avenger torpedo bomber, of which more is destined to be heard but nothing now may be said, and small and large amphibians used on Navy and Coast Guard patrol duty.

That production job, which has turned out more Wildcat in the first four months of 1942 than in all of 1941 and won for Grumman the coveted Navy "E" pennant, now requires some 12,000 workers. (Grumman began in 1929, with fewer than 20 employees and an abandoned Long Island garage as its first plant.)

Leon A. (Jake) Swirbul, general manager, and the company are planning in this way, in cooperation with the government, to cope with any transfer of personnel to the armed forces.

Grumman's personnel records are exceptionally thorough. Not only do they know their workers, but also their workers' backgrounds.

So, when a man is drafted, Grumman tries to get a new worker from that man's family. Maybe his kid brother, but more probably his sister or even his mother. For a number of obvious reasons, it can't be made a blanket policy, but it's being done wherever practical.

Personnel Standards

The system promises to pay dividends two ways—to Grumman and to the armed forces.

The armed forces get a man who isn't beset by worries over his family's security, who knows under what sort of conditions the new bread-winner is working.

Grumman gets a worker to whom the company already is more than merely a name, and who therefore has an added incentive to make good on the job.

Most of the newcomers are women. Counting those in the shops and in the firm's 10 training schools, the plant now employs about 1,000 of them. Like other firms throughout the country in all sorts of war production, Grumman finds them good workers, particularly on routine operations and inspection.

Eventually, Swirbul predicts, they will make up 30 percent of the Grumman personnel.

Aerial Cargo Ships

U. S. Aircraft plants, besides turning out combat planes as fast as they can, also are producing aerial cargo ships in growing numbers in an effort to overcome our slow start in developing this particular type of craft. The need for such planes is underscored each time a U-boat picks off another merchant ship.

The army already is using Douglas and Lockheed transport, among others. Newest to join the line will be the Curtiss C-46, so far as is known the largest twin-engine transport in the world.

Bituminous coal production for 1941 is estimated at 550 million tons, compared with 453 million tons for 1940.

John J. Audubon, the famous American ornithologist, was born May 8, 1780.

The Mekong river is the eleventh longest river in the world, with a length of 2500 miles.

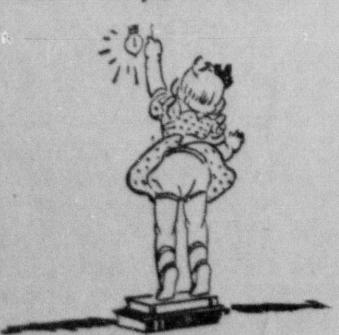
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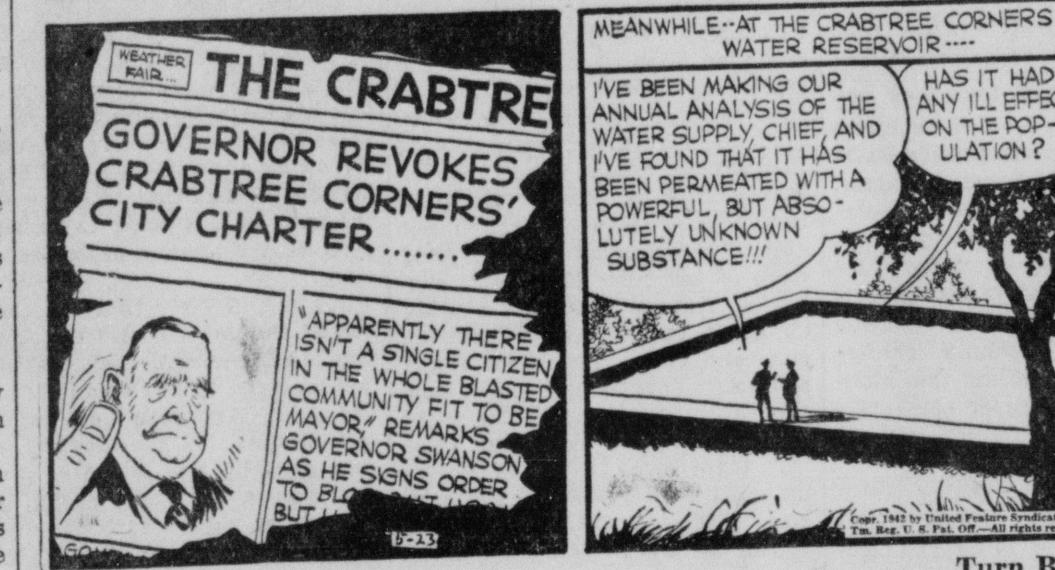


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Turn Back, Stranger



By FRED HARMON

KEE RYDER



Mighty Suspicious



By MERRILL BLOSSER

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

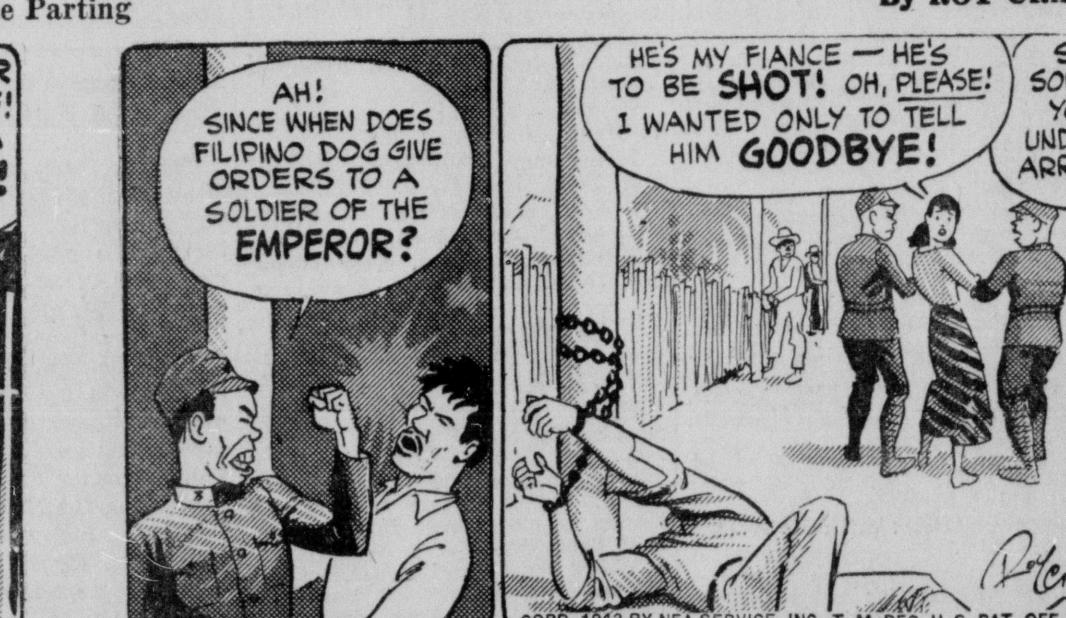


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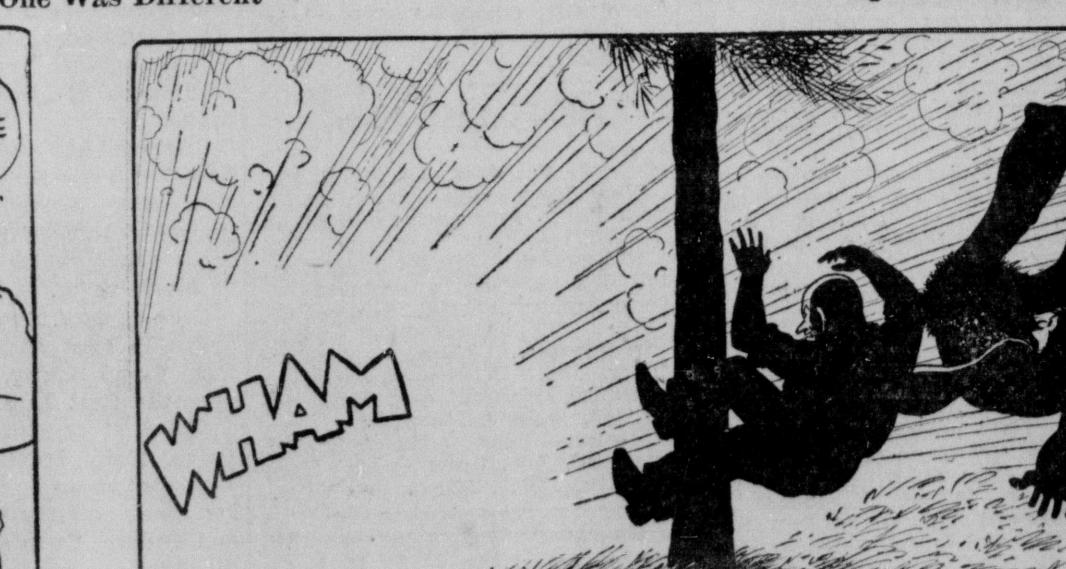
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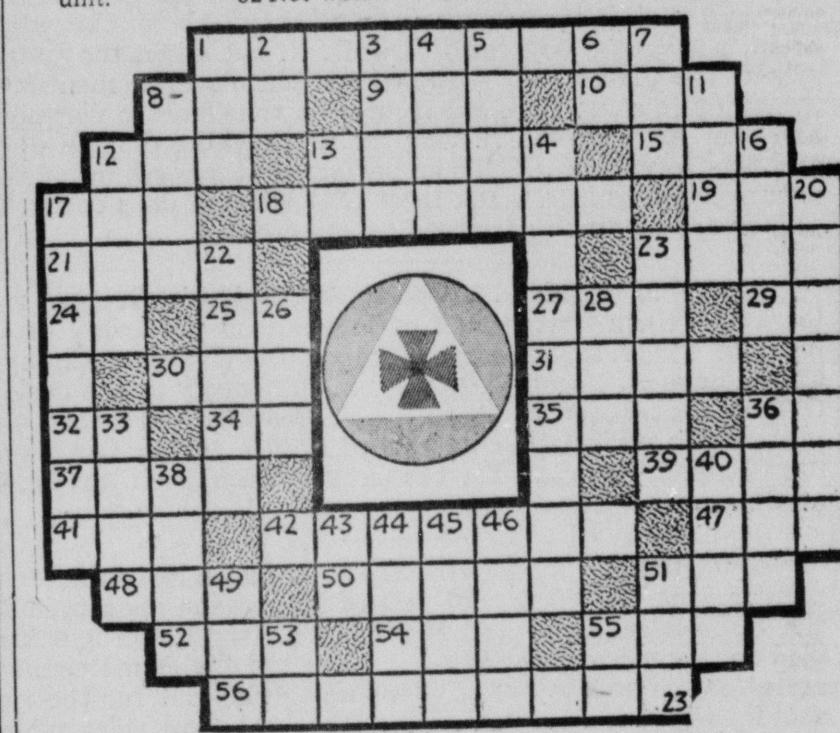


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CIVILIAN DEFENSE GROUP

Answer to Previous Puzzle

1	Depicted is insignia of U. S. Civilian Defense —	13	Music note
2	Firemen	14	Abnormal smallness of the body (med.)
3	8 Bitter vetch.	15	Opposed to go, their duties are similar to those of firemen.
4	9 Decay.	16	20 Herd's-grass.
5	10 However.	17	22 Abstract beings.
6	12 Powerful explosive (abbr.).	18	23 Harem.
7	13 Flaxen cloth.	19	24 Article of furniture.
8	15 Baglike part.	20	25 Purchases.
9	17 Disenumber.	21	26 Seed covering.
10	18 Baseball player.	22	27 Purchases.
11	19 Cooking vessel.	23	28 Rods.
12	20 Gaelic.	24	29 Bamboolike grass.
13	21 Half (prefix).	25	30 Christmas carol.
14	22 Symbol for germanium.	26	31 And (Latin).
15	23 New Brunswick.	27	32 Pastries.
16	24 Like a hepatic.	28	33 Wild ox.
17	25 Containing ore (abbr.).	29	34 Experiment.
18	26 Egyptian evil divinity.	30	35 Transposes.
19	27 Print measure (abbr.).	31	36 Biblical pronoun.
20	28 Ringworm.	32	37 Light brown.
21	29 Indian.	33	38 Bamboolike grass.
22	30 Umbrella-shaped.	34	39 Hypothetical structural unit.
23	31 Painful.	35	40 Harem room.
24	32 Bound (abbr.).	36	41 Greek goddess of dawn.
25	33 Hypothetical structural unit.	37	42 Like a hepatic.
26	34 Ornament atop pagodas.	38	43 Eye part.
27	35 Not wet.	39	44 Solitary.
28	36	40	45 Newspaper paragraph.
29	37	41	46 Railway (abbr.).
30	38	42	47 Affirmative.
31	39	43	48 Egyptian evil.
32	40	44	49 Transposes.
33	41	45	50 Narrow band.
34	42	46	51 Biblical pronoun.
35	43	47	52 Become weary.
36	44	48	53 Stop!



SIDE GLANCES

By GALBRAITH



"I wish you knew a foolproof camouflage so I could sneak in without the folks knowing what time I got home!"

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

William Ferguson



ANSWER: Absolute zero is approximately minus 460 degrees Fahrenheit.

NEXT: Alabama's sea serpent.

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WANTED
EXPERIENCED
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May 18, 1942.

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\$67,161.00 Pledged

In the nation wide canvass of Minute Men, \$67,161.19 was pledged by 432 investors in Franklin Grove, China and Nachusa townships for the purchase of United States savings bonds and stamps. In pledging to purchase these government securities, each purchaser is not only doing his part in helping finance the great war program now in progress but he is putting away a reserve for future use, after the war is over.

Several days previous to and following May 11, 61 Minute Men canvassed every home in China and Nachusa townships, and without parades or fanfare, presented their cause seriously but without force to the people of these communities. The response was very gratifying.

This work was carried on under the supervision of Frank H. Senger who was appointed chairman of these two townships by Norman B. Collins of Chicago, state administrator of the defense savings staff of the state of Illinois.

The local chairman in turn selected the directors of the 16 school districts in this area, and an additional committee to handle the canvass in Franklin Grove. In Franklin Grove pledges for the purchase of defense savings securities amounted to \$36,932.00.

Those participating as Minute Men in the drive were: Charles E. Baker, Leland Blocher, R. C. Gross, W. D. Heckman, Henry Helmershausen, Henry Hicks, R. E. Jacobs, William Herbst, B. C. Hussey, J. H. Lincoln, Ralph Pyse, Glenn Wagner, Guy Wasson, C. A. Watson, Roy Shoemaker, W. L. Moore, Kathryn S. Johnson, M. F. Gonnerman, Edgar Crawford, George Stiles, Chester Shaulis, Guy Moulton, Arthur Clayton, Elwin Patch, Cecil Emmons, Carl E. Spangler, William F. Meyer, Glen H. Dysart, Theodore Burhenn, Charles F. Huyett, Herman Schaefer, Arthur Schaefer, Elmer J. Miller, Harvey J. Brucker, Wilbur Dysart, John A. Both, Lloyd Hoyle, Jos. Mills, Arthur Hullah, J. F. Atkinson, Clarence Both, Warner Schier, Clarence L. Herbst, Virgil Page, Frank Shaffer, Leland Brink, August Johns, Charles Warner, Leo Withey, A. B. Naylor, D. W. Beachley, Jay E. Miller, O. D. Buck, Robert Stevens, Frank Floto, Clifford Floto, Edna Mielke, Ernest Wagner and H. W. Edgington.

High School Note Commencement Exercises

The Franklin Grove high school commencement exercises will be held Thursday evening, May 28, at the Kersten gymnasium. The class, which is the largest to ever graduate from the school, numbers 21. The speaker that has been arranged for the evening is Dr. Eberhardt, professor at Northwestern university in Chicago. Dr. Eberhardt has been heard many times on the radio and promises the seniors a very good talk. Everyone should plan to attend the commencement exercises at the gymnasium Thursday, May 28th at 8 p. m.

The class role is as follows: Josephine Kenney, Marion Mattern, Donna Gilbert; Vivian Miller, Elfreda Tholen, Charles Baker, Ivan Hullah, Donald Bennett, Lois Hullah, Mary Jane Norris, Lucille Larson, Marion Pyle, Marjorie Coy, Carol Schwab, Howard Karper, George Miller, Melvin Unger, Richard Myers, Roland Murray; Gerald Schier and John Lee.

Random Shots
Roy Dillon, our new superintendent, has consented to act as principal for the remainder of the school year. Mr. Dillon came last Friday and is very well liked by the students. Mrs. Luther Durkes, who taught in the commercial department for several years, is assisting Mr. Dillon.

Farewell
Last Friday afternoon after Mr. Fox had given his farewell talk to the student body, Ivan Hullah, president of the student council, presented him with a sum of money from the students in appreciation of his many years of service in Franklin Grove high school. Following that Mr. Baker also presented him with a gift from the faculty. It is with deep regret that the students see Mr. Fox leave, but we are proud to know that he is doing his part for his country.

The final semester examinations were given Thursday and Friday of this week.

The senior class members are planning a trip to Chicago next Tuesday to visit various points of interest.

Personal Items
Mrs. Raymond Patterson of Texas is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Miller, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kelley of Minneapolis, Minn. are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kelley near Dixon, and his children in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crawford of Kansas City and their daughters, the Misses Ethel and Frances of Dixon were supper guests

They'll Do It Every Time



By Mrs. DEWEY KEMP
WILMINGTON, DEL.

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Thursday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Brecunier.

Mrs. William Brickle spent the week end with her husband, Pvt. William Brickle who is stationed at Jefferson Barracks in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Dale of Bigfoot, Ill., spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Moulton.

Mrs. Cecil Fuller of Dixon was a Monday night and Tuesday guest in the home of Mrs. Rose Lookingland.

Miss Vera Wilson of Byron visited this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Wilson.

Lorenzo Mattern of Chicago was here Wednesday greeting friends.

Mr. Charles Heper and daughter of Lighthouse, Mrs. Joe Herbst and baby of Chana were Wednesday guests of Mrs. Carl Sunday.

The Presbyterian Aid society will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Jennie Dockery. She will be assisted by Mrs. Ackerman.

Lived Suddenly
This community was shocked Tuesday afternoon at about 5:00 o'clock when it was told that Harry Stultz had died very suddenly. While Mr. Stultz had been ill the past several years, still his death was not expected. Funeral services were held Friday afternoon from the Presbyterian church. Mr. Stultz was well known not only in this community but in Ogle county as well. He conducted a grocery store here for many years. The full obituary will appear Wednesday evening.

Tuxis Meeting
An unusually large attendance was enjoyed Wednesday evening at the regular meeting of the Tuxis at the Presbyterian church. The devotions and lesson study were in charge of the Tuxis' advisors, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Dysart. The Rev. Carl Montanus, Mr. Atkinson, Clarence Both, Warner Schier, Clarence L. Herbst, Virgil Page, Frank Shaffer, Leland Brink, August Johns, Charles Warner, Leo Withey, A. B. Naylor, D. W. Beachley, Jay E. Miller, O. D. Buck, Robert Stevens, Frank Floto, Clifford Floto, Edna Mielke, Ernest Wagner and H. W. Edgington.

Woman's Club Banquet
On Tuesday evening, May 19th a group of 90 Woman's club members and guests gathered in the Kersten gymnasium to enjoy the May banquet, which concluded the year's work.

The tables presented a most inviting picture as the ladies entered the banquet hall. They were arranged in a "U" shape and each table was graced by three large bouquets of iris arranged in low dishes with wax water lilies floating at the side, these were lighted during the dinner. The nut cups were yellow crepe paper water lilies.

The banquet had been prepared by the ladies of the Lighthouse church. It was exceptionally attractive and tasty, consisting of parsley potatoes, scalloped chicken, asparagus tips, jello salad, radishes, celery, rolls, ice cream, cake and coffee. During the dinner hour music was furnished by Rev. and Mrs. Montanus, F. J. Blescher and Wayne Bates.

The president, Mrs. Alta Chiles was seated at the center of the table with the speaker, Mrs. Thompson, retiring presidents and retiring board members to her left, and to her right were the new president, Mrs. Alice Schaefer and the board members.

Mrs. Myrtle Bishop and Elsie Neff Shaulis pupils entertained with a combined program. There were enjoyable piano duets, vocal solos, individual and team dance and song numbers.

The guest of the evening was Mrs. Dee D. Thompson of Compton, 13th District president of the Woman's club. Mrs. Thompson gave a very interesting account of her recent visit to the General Federated Woman's club convention in Fort Worth, Texas. Two million women belong to the Federated clubs. Illinois was recognized as a leader in Indian Welfare work, although there are no Indian settlements inside the state line. Illinois is first in conservation work, the 13th District clubs of Illinois were first in the Blanket Fund drive and third in the Ambulance Fund drive. The convention endorsed the religion resolution, that religion be taught in all schools of the United States. Everyone enjoyed Mrs. Thompson's report of the convention and you wished you could have enjoyed it along with her.

Mrs. Blanche Durkes gave an interesting report of the state Woman's club convention held in the Hotel Sherman last week. Indian girls were present at this

Improving Slowly
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hall and daughters of Wheaton and Randall Myers of Chicago spent Sunday with Mrs. John Myers. Sunday evening they returned to their homes except Mrs. Hall who remained until Wednesday with her mother and visited her father, the late Fred C. Kaecker, had held this office.

Elected Treasurer
Mrs. Lillian Hall of this place was elected treasurer of the Bradford cemetery at an organization meeting held recently. Mrs. Hall's father, the late Fred C. Kaecker, had held this office.

Called Home
Pvt. Scott Stultz who is stationed at Maxwell Field, Alabama, was called home Thursday by the death of his father, Harry Stultz. He has a ten days furlough.

Attended Banquet
The Rev. and Mrs. T. B. Reeves attended the annual formal banquet of the Garrett Biblical Institute which was held on Thursday evening at the First Methodist church in Evanston. Rev. Reeves is doing graduate work at the Garrett Institute.

Picture Show
The businessmen of the town

OHIO

MRS. ESTHER JACKSON
Reporter

A daughter was born on Tuesday, May 19 to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ewalt at the Perry Memorial hospital in Princeton. The little lady has been named Barbara Luella.

Mrs. Bridget Tobin moved her household goods to Walnut Monday where she will make her home.

The Misses Jessie and Ora Burnham were hostesses Tuesday afternoon to Circle No. 2 of the Methodist church. Mrs. Minnie Spooner conducted the business meeting and had charge of the devotional period. A nice lunch was served at the close of an afternoon of needlework and visiting.

The Dad Joe Household Science club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Cora Barkman who was assisted by Mrs. F. C. Albrecht.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira White of Walnut and their daughter Mrs. Ferguson Anderson were guests Sunday at the Russell Anderson home in Chicago.

Mrs. Eva Howard and Mrs. Edna Jackson entertained Circle No. 3 of the Methodist church at Mrs. Howard's home Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Maria Smith led the devotions and Mrs. Phyllis Pomeroy conducted the business meeting. The hostess served a nice lunch at the close of a social afternoon. Mrs. Burton Larson and Mrs. Henry Hoffman of Mendota were guests.

The Triple Four Bridge club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Clara Stevenson. Four tables were in play. High club prize was won by Mrs. Erma Phillips; low club prize by Mrs. Ann Blaine; high guest by Mrs. Elvera Webb and low guest by Mrs. Mary Anderson.

The officers of the Franklin Grove Woman's club for the ensuing year are:

President—Mrs. Alice Schaefer

First vice president—Mrs. Catherine Schier

Second vice president—Mrs. Grace Brecunier

Recording secretary—Miss Winifred Brecunier

Treasurer—Mrs. Blanche Durkes

Financial secretary—Mrs. Margaret Patterson

The following have been appointed as active department chairmen.

Gardens—Mrs. Pearle Dysart

Education and literature—Mrs. Anna Buck

Music—Mrs. Minetta Moore

Fine arts—Mrs. Kathryn Herbst

American homes—Mrs. Maude Taylor

American Citizenship and International Relations—Mrs. Catherine Schier

Public Health and Welfare—Mrs. Esther Hall

Conservation—Mrs. Mary Grace Degner

Social—Mrs. Gladys Jacobs

May banquet—Mrs. Margaret Patterson

Press and publicity—Mrs. Margaret Howard, Mrs. Gladys Jacobs

Parliamentarian—Mrs. Elizabeth Durkes

Scrapbook—Mrs. Verda Blescher

The meeting then closed with all joining in singing "God Bless America."

This occasion is one that will long be remembered and looked forward to each year as an outstanding social event of the spring season.

The program committee responsible for this very entertaining program was Mrs. Florence Herwig, chairman, Mrs. Lorraine Schmucker and Mrs. Betty Geronman.

The decorating committee was Mrs. Pearl Canode, chairman, Mrs. Mary Miller, Mrs. Lucy Ives, Mrs. Almyra Burhenn, Mrs. Mary Grace Degner and Mrs. Fannie Blescher.

Presbyterian Church
Rev. Carl Montanus

9 a. m. Sunday school. Louis Meyer, superintendent.

9:50 a. m. Morning worship. The sermon next Sunday will ask the question "What Do You Know About Missions?" and with a series of interesting charts the pastor will help you to give an intelligent answer to that question. Come to church next Sunday.

Brethren Church Notes

S. L. Cover, pastor

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. A welcome for all. Worship and sermon at 10:30 a. m. The subject for the morning sermon is "The Sabbath". There are several definite things I want to say about the Sabbath. The choir will sing an anthem. There will be no Sunday services on Sunday evening, because of the Baccalaureate services at the Methodist church and we trust you will want to attend.

The Ladies Aid will meet all day at the church and choir practice will be on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Daily Vacation Bible school

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